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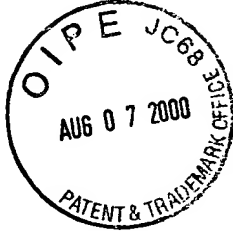
In re Patent Application of

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TRANSMISSION OVER A TWO-WIRE
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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES

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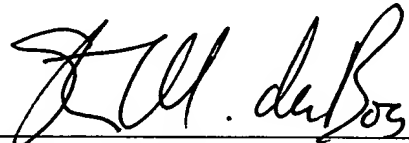
Sir:

The Examiner's approval is respectfully requested for the proposed change to Fig. 1 shown in red ink on the accompanying copy, wherein element 16 has been changed to represent an analog-to-digital convertor, rather than a digital-to-analog convertor.

Upon receipt of the Examiner's approval and a Notice of Allowance, this change will be implemented through newly submitted drawings.

Respectfully submitted,

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